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UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 31734-PCT-USA-A

First Inventor Peter Williams

Title METHOD OF

Express Mail Label No. EF321682563US

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1.  Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2.  Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3.  Specification [Total Pages 72]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description

Claim(s) [ Total Sheets 1 ]

Abstract of the Disclosure [ Total Sheets 1 ]

4.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [ Total Sheets 15 ]

5. Oath or Declaration [ Total Pages 3 ]

a.  Newly executed (original or copy)  
Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Box Patent Application  
Washington, DC 20231

7.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 

- a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)
- b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
  - i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
  - ii.  paper
- c.  Statements verifying identity of above copies

9.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

10.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee)

11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)

12.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS Citations

13.  Preliminary Amendment

14.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)

15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)

16.  Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.

17.  Other: .....

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

 Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No. 09/673,544

Group Art Unit.

Prior application information. Examiner J. Riley

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

## 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

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City	State	Zip Code	
Country	Telephone		Fax
Name (Print/Type)	Carmella L. Stephens	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	41,328
Signature	Carmella L. Stephens		Date 08/28/01

**BAKER BOTTS LLP****Addendum Sheet 1****Att Docket #: 31734-PCT-USA-A****\*Question 4 Addendum**4.a. Drawings are       formal       informal**\* Question 5 Addendum**5.c.  An unsigned oath or declaration is included.**\* Question 8 Addendum**8.d.  A sequence submission will follow.**\* Question 9 Addendum**9.a.  Assignment documents will follow.9.b.  Assignment documents have been filed in  
parent application No.**\* Question 11 Addendum**11.a.  English translation will follow.**\* Question 12 Addendum**12.a.  Copies of IDS citations will follow.**\* Question 15 Addendum**15.a.  Certified copies of priority documents will follow.15.b.  Certified copies of priority documents have been filed in parent  
application No.

Use the space below for additional information

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Title (continued):

METHOD OF DETERMINING THE NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE OF OLIGONUCEOTIDES  
AND DNA MOLECULES

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## Addendum Sheet 2

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Continuation       Divisional       Continuation-in-part (CIP)      of prior application No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Prior application information.      Examiner \_\_\_\_\_      Group Art Unit. \_\_\_\_\_

18b. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

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Continuation       Divisional       Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Prior application information.      Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Group Art Unit. \_\_\_\_\_

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence(s)

"This application is a  Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP) of:

"This application is based upon:  
prior application No.: PCT/US99/09616, incorporated by reference herein

which is a  Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP) of:

which is based upon:  
prior application No.: 09/673,544, incorporated by reference herein

which is a  Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP) of:

which is based upon:  
prior application No.: \_\_\_\_\_, incorporated by reference herein

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prior application No.: \_\_\_\_\_, incorporated by reference herein

Priority under 35.U.S.C. §119 is claimed based upon the following applications.

#### **Foreign Applications:**

**Country:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Serial No:** \_\_\_\_\_

Filing Date:

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Serial No: \_\_\_\_\_

Filing Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Serial No: \_\_\_\_\_

Filing Date:

### **Provisional Applications:**

Serial No: 60/083,840

Filing Date: May 1, 1998

Serial No: \_\_\_\_\_

Filing Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Serial No:** \_\_\_\_\_

Filing Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2001

Patent fees are subject to annual revision

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 503)

*Complete if Known*

Application Number	TBD
Filing Date	August 28, 2001
First Named Inventor	Peter Williams
Examiner Name	TBD
Group Art Unit	TBD
Attorney Docket No.	

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

1.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number	02-4377
Deposit Account Name	Baker Botts LLP

 Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2.  Payment Enclosed:

 Check  Credit card  Money Order  Other

**FEE CALCULATION (continued)**
**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)		
130	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
130	130	Non-English specification	
2,520	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
920*	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1,840*	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
110	55	Extension for reply within first month	
390	195	Extension for reply within second month	
890	445	Extension for reply within third month	
1,390	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1,890	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
310	155	Notice of Appeal	
310	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
270	135	Request for oral hearing	
1,510	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
110	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1,240	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1,240	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
440	220	Design issue fee	
600	300	Plant issue fee	
130	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
50	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
180	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
40	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
710	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
710	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
710	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
900	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

**FEE CALCULATION**
**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
		\$	\$	
710	355	Utility filing fee	355	
320	160	Design filing fee		
490	245	Plant filing fee		
710	355	Reissue filing fee		
150	75	Provisional filing fee		
<b>SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 355)</b>				

**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
32	.20** = 12	x 9	= 108
Independent Claims	4	- 3** = 1	x 40 = 40
Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee	Fee Description
		\$	\$
18	9	Claims in excess of 20	
80	40	Independent claims in excess of 3	
270	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
80	40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
18	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
<b>SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 148)</b>			

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

 Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_ \*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid **SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 0)**
**SUBMITTED BY**
*Complete if applicable*

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